

Introduced by Senator CorreaFebruary 27, 2009

An act to amend Section 7331 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to barbering and cosmetology.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 549, as introduced, Correa. Barbering and cosmetology: out-of-state applicants.

Existing law, the Barbering and Cosmetology Act, provides for the licensure and regulation of the practice of barbering and cosmetology by the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology. Existing law requires the board to grant a license to practice if the applicant submits, among other things, a completed application and proof of a current specified license to practice issued by another state.

This bill would clarify that the board has the authority to grant a license to an applicant licensed in another state.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 7331 of the Business and Professions
- 2 Code is amended to read:
- 3 7331. The board shall grant a license to practice to an applicant
- 4 *who is licensed in another state* if the applicant submits all of the
- 5 following to the board:
- 6 (a) A completed application form and all fees required by the
- 7 board.

- 1 (b) Proof of a current license issued by another state to practice
- 2 that meets all of the following requirements:
- 3 (1) It is not revoked, suspended, or otherwise restricted.
- 4 (2) It is in good standing.
- 5 (3) It has been active for three of the last five years, during
- 6 which time the applicant has not been subject to disciplinary action
- 7 or a criminal conviction.